

## System and Method for Replicating Data

### ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

5           According to the present invention, techniques for controlling copying of  
logical volumes within a computer storage system are provided. A representative  
embodiment includes a plurality of storage devices controlled by a control unit, one or  
more processors, and a buffer memory for temporarily storing data read from the storage  
devices within the control unit. The storage devices can be addressed as logical volumes.

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